

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Arnaud Capitant et al.

Serial N° : 09/332,489

Filed : June 14, 1999

For: PROCESS FOR MAKING REMOTE PAYMENTS FOR
THE PURCHASE OF GOODS AND FOR A
SERVICE THROUGH A MOBILE
RADIO TELEPHONE, ...

Group Art Unit:

Examiner:



DECLARATION OF FREDERIC FORSTER

I CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING SENT BY U.S.
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PATENT ATTORNEY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

I, Frederic FORSTER declare that I am "Head of legal Affairs" of "Société Française du Radiotéléphone" (SFR), a company organized and existing under the laws of France and having offices at 1, Place Carpeaux - 92215 PARIS LA DEFENSE Cedex, France. I am making this Declaration to support filing the above-identified application on behalf of Arnaud Capitant who has refused to sign the above-identified application.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to in any oath or declaration. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is known to me to be material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulation, § 1.56.

I claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, U.S. Code, § 119 of French Applications No. 98 07666 filed June 15, 1998 and No 98 13471 filed October 23, 1998. No corresponding application for patent or inventor's certificate was filed in any country prior to the filing date of the applications on which priority is claimed.

I am informed and believe that Mr Capitant is a citizen of France and a resident of Saint-Jean le Blanc, France and that his residence address is 1, allée de la Brède, 45 650 Saint-Jean le Blanc, France.

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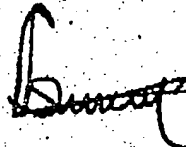
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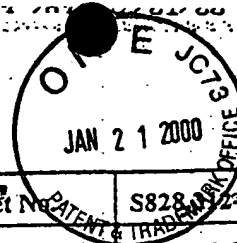


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EXHIBIT A

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- **Mrs Frey**
- **Mr Capitant**
- **Mr Jean-Marie)**



DECLARATION FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION (37 C.F.R. 1.63)		Attorney Docket No.	S828-0002
		First Named Inventor	Arnaud Capitant
		COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Declaration Submitted with Initial Filing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing (Surcharge (37 C.F.R. 1.16(e)) Required)	Application Number	09/332,489
		Filing Date	June 14, 1999
		Group Art Unit	
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:
PROCESS FOR MAKING REMOTE PAYMENTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF GOODS AND/OR SERVICE THROUGH A MOBILE RADIOTELEPHONE, AND THE CORRESPONDING SYSTEM AND MOBILE RADIOTELEPHONE

the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto OR
- ☒ was filed on June 14, 1999 as United States Application Number 09/332,489
- ☐ and/or PCT International Application Number
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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Certified Copy Attached?	
			Yes	No
98 07666 98 13471	France	June 15, 1998		No
	France	October 23, 1998		No

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number(s)	Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120 of any United States application(s), or 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is or disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

U.S. Parent Application or PCT Parent Number	Parent Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Parent Patent Number (if applicable)

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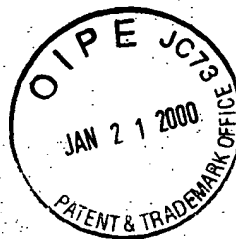
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Nos Réf. 19/09/99/FFNA

LETTRE RECOMMANDEE AVEC A.R.

Objet : Réf. 4779US/PG-CC/R928.106

Demande de brevet aux USA correspondant à la demande de brevet n°98 13471 déposée le 23 octobre 1998 revendiquant la priorité Interne de la demande de brevet n° 9807666 déposée le 15 juin 1998 et concernant «Un procédé pour payer à distance, au moyen d'un radiotéléphone mobile, l'acquisition d'un bien et/ou d'un service, et système et radiotéléphone mobile correspondant ».

Cher Monsieur,

Afin de permettre au Cabinet Vidon de régulariser ce dépôt aux USA, Je vous serais reconnaissant de bien vouloir nous retourner dans les meilleurs délais :

1. La « Declaration » dûment datée et signée par vous-même,
2. « L'Assignment » également daté et signé par vous-même, après avoir indiqué en lettres capitales votre nom et prénoms.

Vous en remerciant à l'avance et dans cette attente,

Je vous prie d'agréer, cher Monsieur, l'assurance de mes salutations distinguées..

Frédéric Forster

Directeur Juridique

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1. The first step in the process is to identify the problem or issue that needs to be addressed. This involves gathering information and understanding the context of the situation.

2. Once the problem is identified, the next step is to define the objectives and goals of the project. This helps to clarify what needs to be achieved and provides a clear direction for the team.

3. The third step is to develop a plan or strategy to address the problem. This involves breaking down the problem into smaller, manageable tasks and determining the resources needed to complete them.

4. The fourth step is to implement the plan. This involves putting the strategy into action and monitoring progress regularly to ensure that the project is on track.

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(Mr Capitant)



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Nos réf. : 11/12/99/FFVA

Objet : 4779 US - Demande de brevet aux USA « Procédé pour payer à distance, au moyen d'un radiotéléphone mobile, l'acquisition d'un bien et/ou d'un service, et système et radiotéléphone mobile correspondant »

Cher Monsieur,


Je reviens vers vous concernant le brevet ci-dessus référencé.

Pouvez-vous nous retourner le plus rapidement possible les pouvoirs concernant ce brevet, les autorités américaines nous le réclamant pour la finalisation de ce dépôt.

Je vous prie de trouver ci-joint une copie de celui-ci et vous remercie à l'avance de votre diligence en ce sens.

Dans cette attente,

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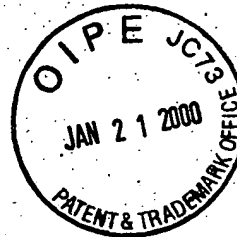
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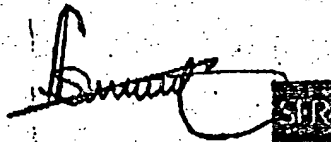
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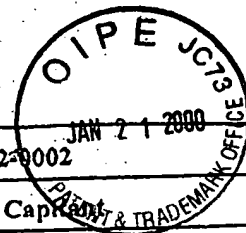



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Sole or First Inventor:	
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Nos Réf. 10/09/99/FF/VA

LETTRÉ RECOMMÁDEE AVEC A.R.

Objet : Réf. 4780US/PG-CC/R927.118 - Demande de brevet française n°98 06270 déposée le 13 mai 1998 et concernant un « Procédé et système pour utiliser simultanément un radiotéléphone mobile selon au moins deux modalités d'utilisation, radiotéléphone mobile permettant de mettre en œuvre ledit procédé »

Chère Madame,

Nous faisons suite aux diverses interventions faites par Natacha Gvozdenovic, concernant la demande de brevet ci-dessus référencée et dont vous êtes l'inventeur.

Afin de pouvoir déposer et régulariser ce brevet, auprès de l'Office des Brevets américain, le Cabinet Vidon a besoin que nous lui retournions :

- la « Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney », dûment datée et signée par vous-même.
- « l'Assignment of U.S. Rights to Corporation », daté et signé également par vous-même.

Je vous remercie à l'avance de bien vouloir me retourner ces documents le plus rapidement possible,

Dans cette attente,

Je vous prie d'agréer, chère Madame, l'assurance de mes salutations distinguées.

Frédéric Forster


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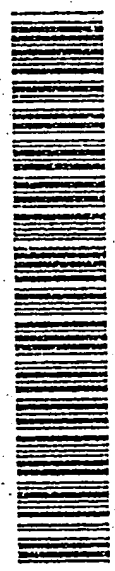
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EXHIBIT C

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Paris La Défense, le 6 décembre 1999

Nos réf. : 11/12/99/FFVA

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Chère Madame

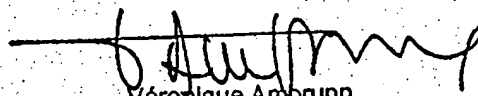
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Dans cette attente,

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Applicant : Arnaud Capitant et al.

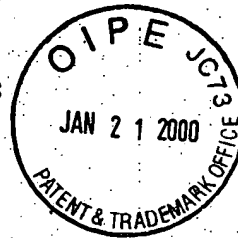
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Filed : June 14, 1999

Group Art Unit :

For : PROCESS FOR MAKING REMOTE PAYMENTS FOR
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RADIOTELEPHONE, ...

Examiner :



DECLARATION OF FREDERIC FORSTER

CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING SENT BY U.S.
MAIL, FIRST CLASS, TO THE ASSISTANT
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, D.C.
20321, THIS 13th DAY OF
January 2000

PATENT ATTORNEY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir,

I, Frederic FORSTER declare that I am "Head of legal Affair" of "Société Française du Radiotéléphone" (SFR), a company organized and existing under the laws of France and having offices at 1, Place Carpeaux - 92215 PARIS LA DEFENSE Cedex, France. I am making this Declaration to support filing the above-identified application on behalf of olivier Jean-Marie who has refused to sign the above-identified application.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to in any oath or declaration. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is known to me to be material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulation, § 1.56.

I claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, U.S. Code, § 119 of French Applications No. 98 07666 filed June 15, 1998 and No 98 13471 filed October 23, 1998. No corresponding application for patent or inventor's certificate was filed in any country prior to the filing date of the applications on which priority is claimed.

I am informed and believe that Mr Jean-Marie is a citizen of France and a resident of Bazoches, France and that his residence address is 4, résidence Martin, 78 400 Bazoches, France.

Prior to June 14, 1999, I instructed Cabinet Patrice Vidon to file a patent application in the United States of America corresponding to the French Applications No. 98 07666 and 98 13471. The U.S application was prepared at the direction of Cabinet Patrice Vidon and filed in the United States on June 14, 1999. Subsequent to June 14, 1999, Cabinet Patrice Vidon provided me with certain documents for the U.S. patent application, including a Declaration to be signed by Mr Jean-Marie, a copy of the Declaration being attached as Exhibit A.

On September 7, 1999, I sent Mr Jean-Marie a registered mail (Exhibit B), requesting that he sign the documents and return them to us as soon as possible. Mr Marie has not returned the signed formal documents to us.

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On December 6, 1999, I sent Mr. Jean-Marie a mail (Exhibit C), requesting again that he sign and return the formal documents to us as soon as possible. Mr. Jean-Marie has not returned the signed formal documents to us.

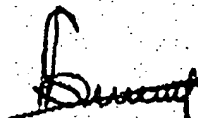
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Date 10 Jan 2000By Frédéric Forster

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EXHIBIT A

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- Mrs Frey**
- Mr Capitant**
- Mr Jean-Marie)**

DECLARATION FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION (37 C.F.R. 1.63)		Attorney Docket No.	S828.312-0002
		First Named Inventor	Arnaud Capitant
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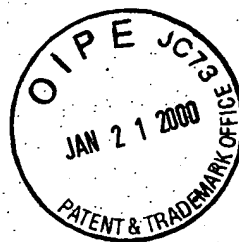
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Paris La Défense, le 7 septembre 1999

Nos Réf. 24/09/99/FF/A.

LETTRÉ RECOMMANDEE AVEC A.R.

Objet : Réf. 4779US/PG-CC/R928.106

Demande de brevet aux USA correspondant à la demande de brevet n°98 13471 déposée le 23 octobre 1998 revendiquant la priorité interne de la demande de brevet n° 9807666 déposée le 15 juin 1998 et concernant «Un procédé pour payer à distance, au moyen d'un radiotéléphone mobile, l'acquisition d'un bien et/ou d'un service, et système et radiotéléphone mobile correspondant ».

Cher Monsieur,

Afin de permettre au Cabinet Vidon de régulariser ce dépôt aux USA, je vous serais reconnaissant de bien vouloir nous retourner dans les meilleurs délais :

1. La « Déclaration » dûment datée et signée par vous-même,
2. « L'Assignment » également daté et signé par vous-même, après avoir indiqué en lettres capitales votre nom et prénoms.

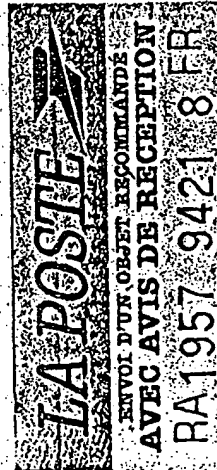
Vous en remerciant à l'avance et dans cette attente,

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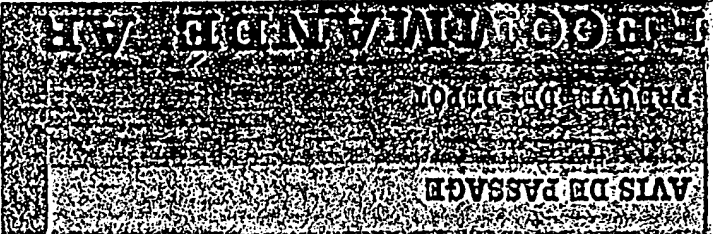


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EXHIBIT C

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Paris La Défense, le 6 décembre 1999

Nos réf. : 11/12/99/FFNA

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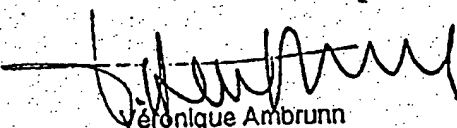
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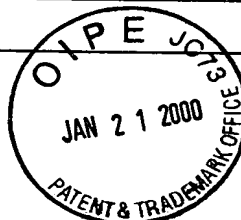
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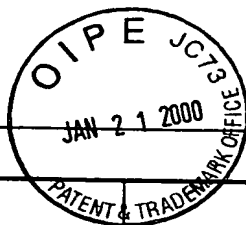
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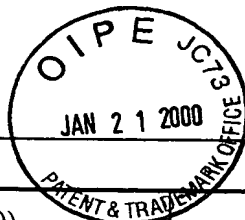
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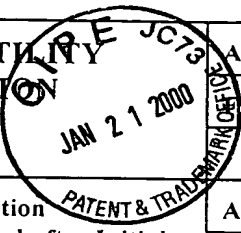


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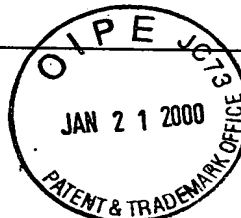
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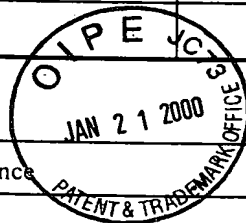
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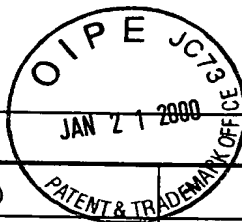


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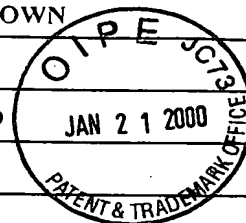


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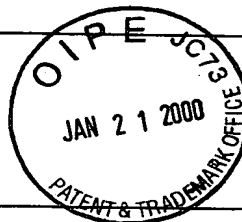
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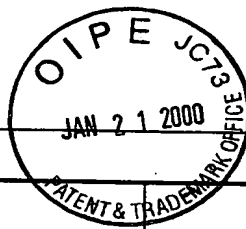
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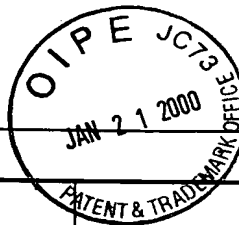
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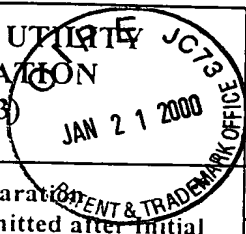


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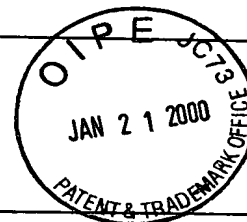
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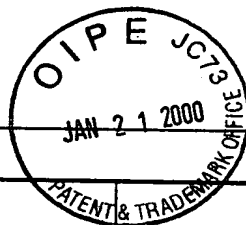
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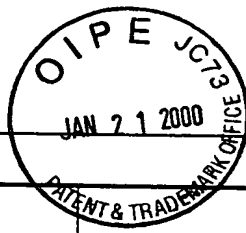
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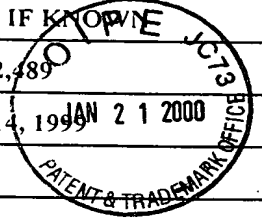
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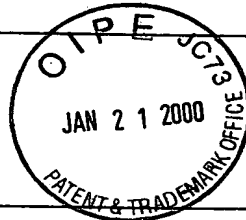
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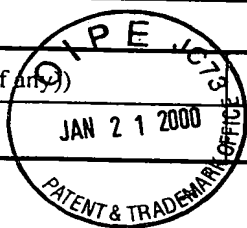


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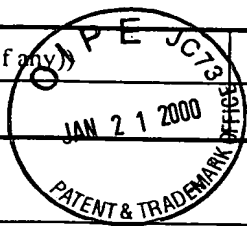
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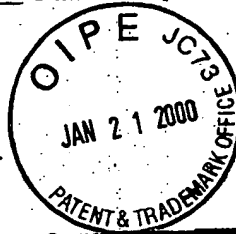


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